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Response to Restriction Requirement

This is responsive to the Office Action mailed on January 18, 2008, setting the longer of one (1) month or thirty (30) days for reply. A petition to extend the time for response is being filed herewith, such that this response is timely.

Amendments to the claims begin on page 2 of this paper.

Remarks begin on page 8 of this paper.